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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

AT BALTIMORE  
CLERK U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MARYLAND  
DEPUTY

CHARLES HAMMERBACKER, *et al.*, :

BY

Plaintiffs :

vs. :

Civil Action No. CCB-01-3450

ACandS, Inc., *et al.*, :

Defendants :

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LINSEY L. WILLIAMS, *et al.*, :

Plaintiffs :

vs. :

Civil Action No. CCB-02-1148

ACandS, Inc., *et al.*, :

Defendants :

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HENRY S. CRAWFORD, *et al.*, :

Plaintiffs :

vs. :

Civil Action No. CCB-02-1149

ACandS, Inc., *et al.*, :

Defendants :

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CHARLES G. DRY :

Plaintiff :

vs. :

Civil Action No. CCB-02-1150

ACandS, Inc., *et al.*, :

Defendants :

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**ORDER**

It is, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May 2002, hereby **ORDERED** that:

1. As these cases involve common questions of law and fact, they are consolidated, including all joined parties, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 42(a);
2. All papers regarding any of these cases shall be filed in Civil Action No. CCB-01-3450 only. Any paper which pertains to some but not all of the cases, should contain a parenthetical reference in the caption to the civil action numbers of the cases to which it pertains;
3. An original and two copies of all papers shall be filed with the Court; and
4. The requirements of Local Rule 103.5 are suspended, pending further direction by the Court.



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Catherine C. Blake  
United States District Judge